



COMMISSIONER PROFILE

Current Assignment:

Early Disposition Court, Criminal Department

Past Assignments:

5/2000-present – Early Disposition Court, Criminal Department

5/1998-5/2000 – Special Assignment - Criminal, Civil and Probate matters

6/1995-2/1998 – Presiding Family Court Commissioner



Work History:

1994 –Present — Superior Court in Maricopa County Commissioner

1988-1994 — Novak & Anderson, P.C., Phoenix, Arizona - Domestic relations, juvenile law, trials and appeals

1985-1988 — Law Office of William David Anderson – General civil practice

1983-1985 — Conklin & Adler, Ltd., Phoenix/Chicago - General civil practice, including domestic relations, insurance (defense), trials and appeals

1982-1983 — Mitchell, Jensen & Timbanard, P.C. - Domestic relations and general contract litigation

1977-1982 — Hadley & Anderson, P.C. - General civil and criminal practice

1974 – 1977 — United States Navy, Judge Advocate General Corps

1968 – 1970 — United States Army - Viet Nam service, 1969 – 1970, Bronze Star Medal, Army Commendation Medal recipient

Education:

- Bachelor's degree, Economics, 1972, University of Utah
- J.D., 1976, University of Utah College of Law

Committees/Associations:

- Chair, Superior Court Criminal Department Commissioners' and Hearing Officers' Committee
- Chair, State Bar of Arizona Continuing Legal Education Committee, 2001-2002
- Member, Maricopa County Family Court Task Force, 1999-2001
- Member, State Bar of Arizona Special Mandatory Continuing Legal Education Review Committee, 1999-2001
- Member, State Bar of Arizona Continuing Legal Education Committee, 1998 - 2002
- Chair, State Bar of Arizona Product Development and Marketing Sub-Committee, 1998 - 2002
- Director, Maricopa County Bar Association Continuing Legal Education Board, 1997 - 1999
- Domestic Relations Vice-President, Arizona Chapter Association of Family and Conciliation Courts, 1997 - 1999
- Kenneth D. Freedman Award for Excellence in Continuing Legal Education (Maricopa County Bar Association, 1997)
- Chair, Child Support Advisory Committee, Arizona Judicial Council, 1995 - 1996
- Faculty, New Judge Orientation, Judicial College of Arizona, 1994 – 2000
- Member, New Judge Orientation Curriculum Committee, 1994 - 1995
- Member, Self-Service Center Design Committee, 1994-1996
- Officer and member, State Bar of Arizona Family Law Section Executive Council, 1983 - 1995

- Officer and member, Maricopa County Bar Association, Family Law Section, 1983 – 1993
- American Judges' Association
- Arizona Judges' Association
- National Association for Court Management
- Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals (1977)
- United States District Court, Arizona (1977)
- United States Supreme Court (1980)
- State Bar of Arizona (1976)